

REMARKS

Prior to examination, please accept and enter the changes and amendments outlined in this Preliminary Amendment.

Please accept the amended Title outlined herein.

Please accept the amended Specification outlined herein.

Please accept amended Claims 1-6 outlined herein.

Please accept the amended Abstract outlined herein.

Claims 1-6 are now pending in the application. Accordingly, all of the claims pending in the Application, namely, Claims 1-6, are believed to be in condition for allowance. Should the Examiner believe that a telephone conference or personal interview would facilitate resolution of any remaining matters, the Examiner may contact Applicants' attorney at the number given below.

Respectfully submitted,



Paul J. Farrell
Reg. No. 33,494
Attorney for Applicant(s)

DILWORTH & BARRESE, LLP
333 Earle Ovington Blvd.
Uniondale, New York 11553
Tel: (516) 228-8484
Fax: (516) 228-8516

PJF/JWK:lah